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21. WESTHOFEN, fnu: former GGS officer, (WESTHOVEN,  
Franz: born ca. 1894; Pz. Gr. Gen lt., 3rd Pz.  
Div, in 1943-44).

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TO: WASHA

INFO: KARLA

CITE: PULLA

1. 28 DECEMBER UTILITY, TALKING FROM PREPARED NOTES, INDULGED IN THREE HOUR HARANGUE AGAINST AMERICAN INTERFERENCE IN ZIPPER INTERNAL AFFAIRS. HEREVIEWED U.S. POLICY GERMANY, TEHERAN, YALTA, POTSDAM AND PAST FIVE YEARS; CITED DIFFICULT PSYCHOLOGICAL PROBLEM OF ZIPPER; PRESENTED PLAN FOR REORGANIZATION OF ZIPPER WHICH WILL CLEARLY MINIMIZE POB INFLUENCE IN ZIPPER AND ISOLATE PRO-AMERICAN STAFF MEMBERS; FLATLY REFUSED EXPAND F-NET IF ADDITIONAL FUNDS CONTINGENT UPON PROVIDING AIS IDENTITIES ZIPPER AGENTS; ATTACKED POB FOR EFFORTS PUSH THROUGH ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS IN ZIPPER; LABELLED COMPLETELY CORRECT HIS RELATIONSHIPS WESTERN IS AND UPGROWTH; DENIED HE NEGLECTS INTELLIGENCE MATTERS IN FAVOR POLITICAL INTRIGUE; DEFENDED HIS OWN UNETHICAL APPROACH TO MCCLOY; SEVERAL TIMES CITED POSSIBILITY OF RESIGNATION; CRITICIZED OUR HANDLING OF L J AND CAPOTE AFFAIRS; REPEATEDLY ATTACKED "WASHINGTON" POLICY.

2. HORN, L J AND L J PRESENT.

3. L J DID NOT INTERRUPT UTILITY AND AT END INCLINED TO ACCEPT WITHOUT COMMENT; HOWEVER, TO EXPLOIT HORN'S PRESENCE, MADE BRIEF REMARKS FOR THE RECORD. POUCH VERSION FOLLOWS.

4. ON 29 DECEMBER L J CALLED TO UTILITY'S OFFICE. UTILITY IN STRONGER, SHARPER AND MORE EXPLICIT TERMS AGAIN REJECTED ANY AIS VIOLATION OF ZIPPER INTEGRITY; STRESSED FACT THAT UTILITY, AND UTILITY ALONE, RESPONSIBLE FOR SUCCESS OR FAILURE OF ZIPPER; RETURNED TO BASIC LINE OF SEIBERT-UTILITY CONTRACT ORAL AGREEMENT.

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5. CONTEMPLATE NO ACTION NEXT 10 DAYS. US STAFF INSTRUCTED AVOID ANY NEGOTIATION WITH ZIPPER WHICH MIGHT AGGRAVATE SITUATION.

6. [ ] GOING ON LEAVE 1 JANUARY FOR WEEK. UPON RETURN INTEND CALL UTILITY IN, REFER TO HIS COMMENTS TO [ ] AND, IN ATMOSPHERE OF NEGOTIATION, REQUEST HIM SUBMIT IN WRITING HIS VIEWS APPROPRIATE RELATIONS HIS AIS-ZIPPER FOR OUR CONSIDERATION.

7. DIFFICULT TO DETERMINE WHETHER THIS:

A. IMPULSIVE REACTION AGAINST HARD POSITION POB TAKING ON SEVERAL CURRENT ISSUES OR,

B. CALCULATED BID FOR INDEPENDENCE BY UTILITY AFTER CONSIDERATION

- (1) VITAL IMPORTANCE TO US OF ZIPPER OB IN CURRENT WORLD CRISIS
- (2) BARGAINING POSITION OF UPGROWTH ON REMILITARIZATION ISSUE AND
- (3) SOLID BACKING HE COULD EXPECT FROM SUBORDINATES IN UTILITY-AIS SHOWDOWN COINCIDING WITH LANDSBERG EXECUTIONS WHICH RUMORED IMMINENT AND NOW SUBJECT OF INCREASING PUBLIC CRITICISM, PARTICULARLY AMONG FORMER OFFICERS.

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